| Model | K | AIC | ∆AIC | R2 |
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| Abiotic + Biotic (external) | 15.00 | 3,883.75 | 0.00 | 0.15 |
| Abiotic | 12.00 | 3,899.13 | 15.38 | 0.13 |
| Biotic (external) | 5.00 | 4,094.04 | 210.29 | 0.02 |
| Null | 2.00 | 4,123.69 | 239.93 | 0.00 |